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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: A7483

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Appln. No.: 09/580,523

Group Art Unit: 1642

Confirmation No.: 8284

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For: COMPOUNDS AND METHODS FOR REGULATING APOPTOSIS, AND METHODS
OF MAKING AND SCREENING FOR COMPOUNDS THAT REGULATE APOPTOSIS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 12, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. Also, attached hereto and herein incorporated by reference is a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time, making this response due on or before November 12, 2004.

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